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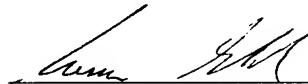
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SIR:

The following is a statement of the substance of the interview between the examiner and Applicants' representative, Mr. Christopher O'Brien, on January 25, 2010. During the interview, Mr. O'Brien explained the differences between the amended claims and the applied art with regard to the Amendment filed on November 23, 2009. The examiner indicated that the amended claims appeared to overcome the applied art, however, further search and consideration would be required with regard to the amended claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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